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For : AGENTS FOR USE ON SKIN AND/OR HAIR CONTAINING  
QUADRUPLY SUBSTITUTED CYCLOHEXENE COMPOUNDS

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Prior to the examination of the above-identified patent application on the merits, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin at page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin at page 20 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 22 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 42 of this paper.